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FOREIGN AND INSULAR.

HAWAII.

Death from Plague at Honokaa.

Chief Quarantine Officer Ramus at Honolulu reports, February 10, that a death from plague occurred at Honokaa February 9.

Record of Plague Infection.

The last case of human plague at Honolulu occurred July 12, 1910.

The last plague-infected rat was found at Aiea, 9 miles from Honolulu, April 12, 1910.

A case of human plague was reported at Kapulena, Hawaii, October 28, 1911.

At Hilo the last case of human plague occurred March 23, 1910. At Honokaa, 60 miles from Hilo, a fatal case occurred April 20, 1911, and a fatal case February 9, 1912.

The last plague-infected rat was found at Honokaa December 18, 1911. A plague-infected rat was found at Hilo during the week ended June 10, 1911.

Honolulu—Plague-Prevention Work.

Chief Quarantine Officer Ramus reports:

	Week ended Jan. 13.	Week ended Jan. 20.
Total number of rats and mongoose taken.....	511	440
Rats trapped.....	487	421
Mongoose trapped.....	10	13
Rats shot from trees.....	14	6
Examined bacteriologically.....	451	381
Classification of rats trapped:		
Mus alexandrinus.....	66	34
Mus musculus.....	97	89
Mus norvegicus.....	20	30
Mus rattus.....	304	268
Classification of rats shot from trees:		
Mus alexandrinus.....	7
Mus rattus.....	7	6